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## CZASY I FORMY CZASOWNIKÓW

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**Put the verbs in brackets in the correct form.**

1. Mr Adams is responsible for ..... (supervise) the assembly plant.
2. It ..... (say) that our economy is in deep crisis.
3. Since when ..... (you / know) about our wedding?
4. Mrs Pawn ..... (teach) in our school before she moved to Boston in 1991.
5. 'Who ..... (do) daily shopping in your house?'  
'My brother usually ..... (do).'
6. Our neighbour's wife is pregnant. She ..... (give) birth next week.
7. Everything ..... (seem) ..... (be) new in your house.
8. 'When ..... (the minister / resign) ?' 'I don't remember whether it ..... (happen) last year or two years ago.'
9. Look ! Somebody ..... (steal) fruit from your garden.
10. I cannot drive to work. My car ..... (not repair) as yet.
11. Let's ..... (finish) ..... (do) our homework quickly.
12. It's much faster ..... (travel) by plane than by train.
13. The tourists ..... (wait) for their guide for two hours now.
14. Before ..... (start) my work for the new company last month, I ..... (do) different jobs at the post office.
15. 'Who ..... (you / invite) to your birthday party next Sunday?'  
'Lots of friends, of course.'
16. The weather's awful. If it ..... (not stop) raining for a while, I ..... (can not) take the dog for a regular walk.
17. We ..... (know) each other for a month only, but we ..... (already / become) good friends.
18. I don't think I ..... (resume) my studying next term. I'd like ..... (rest) a bit longer.
19. Nobody knows how ..... (operate) the switchboard. Do you know?

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## G R A M A T Y K A

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**Choose the correct answer.**

1. After I ..... writing the exam I went out of the classroom.  
a) having finished    b) had finished    c) have finished
2. Let's watch the kites competition, ..... ?  
a) shall we    b) don't we    c) will we
3. Adam has changed for worse. He ..... be a good boy when I knew him.  
a) could    b) might    c) used to
4. Mrs Simmons says she would prefer ..... as a supervisor.  
a) to work    b) working    c) work
5. The boy is sure ..... the window. I saw it.  
a) for breaking    b) broke    c) to have broken
6. Howard's wife is pregnant. She ..... a baby soon.  
a) will have    b) has    c) is going to have
7. We ..... each other for long, but we get on well.  
a) haven't known    b) don't know    c) haven't been knowing
8. This old building needs ..... to look attractive again.  
a) to be renovated    b) to renovate    c) being renovated
9. All of us were made ..... the petition.  
a) sign    b) to sign    c) signing
10. The computer is on. It ..... by someone when I was out.  
a) must have been used    b) must have been using    c) must use
11. It's been suggested that the Prime Minister .....  
a) resigned    b) to resign    c) should resign
12. You shouldn't be interested in what we're saying. It's ..... of your business.  
a) not    b) no    c) none
13. Why did the artists object to ..... live on stage?  
a) performing    b) perform    c) be performed

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P A R A F R A Z A

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**Rewrite the following sentences so they express the same meaning.**

1. Jason likes mathematics very much. (**fond**)

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2. If I were you, I wouldn't spread gossip about my best friends. (**advise**)

.....

3. Let's go skating after breakfast.

**How** .....

4. Everybody knows that Mr Adams travels to the most remote and extreme places.

**Mr Adams is** .....

5. It's a pity I don't have enough spare time to visit you in the afternoon.

**If** .....

6. The last time we met the Boultons was in September. (**since**)

.....

7. I have never seen a better camping site than this one. (**the best**)

.....

8. It's very unlikely that he did the crossword puzzle on his own. (**couldn't**)

.....

9. Unfortunately, you came much too late to buy tickets.

**You would** .....

10. Jack may not come home late although he's eighteen.

**Despite** .....

11. The weather is too bad to go windsurfing. (**enough**)

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12. The general had almost no information from the headquarters. (**hardly**)

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13. 'I won't let anyone know about my future plans.' - Sandra said.

**Sandra said** .....

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## U Z U P E Ł N I A N I E L U K

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**Put one correct word in each gap.**

1. This is the ..... exciting board game ..... I have ..... played.
2. Take care ..... yourself ..... the camp.
3. Where ..... you been all this time? I have ..... looking ..... you ..... early morning.
4. The man ..... house had been broken ..... was interviewed ..... the local police yesterday.
5. What's ..... at the cinema? I feel ..... watching a good film tonight.
6. It's Jack ..... I suspect ..... spreading such silly gossip.
7. Nobody ..... can sing as beautifully ..... my little daughter .....
8. Michael ..... to be a daredevil as a child, but then he turned ..... a calm and disciplined young man.
9. .... invariably makes me angry is negligence of young people ..... drop litter ..... the street.
10. Call me ..... my first name. I'm not used to ..... called Mr Johnson.
11. No ..... how much time you spend trying ..... convince Sandra ..... date you, you will never succeed.
12. Few people ..... likely to benefit ..... the recent reforms.
13. What's wrong ..... you? You look as ..... you were about ..... faint.
14. The watchman has promised to keep an eye ..... my car as ..... as I pay him an adequate ..... of money.
15. You prefer watching television ..... having fun outdoors, ..... you?
16. The newcomers have moved ..... the house ..... windows overlook the ocean.

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## T Ł U M A C Z E N I E   Z D A Ń

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**Complete the following sentences with English translation.**

1. *Wszystko się tutaj zmieniło od mojej ostatniej wizyty. Nigdyś, nie było tak wielu imigrantów w tym kraju.*

Everything ..... my last visit. There  
..... in the country.

2. *Czy mielibyście coś przeciwko, gdybym zagłosował na kandydata innej partii?*

*Uważam, że jego program wyborczy brzmi rozsądniej niż program waszego kandydata.*

Would ..... for another candidate?

I think his platform ..... your candidate's one.

3. *Zaraz po zakończeniu spotkania udaliśmy się do Pałacu Prezydenckiego, gdzie zaserwowano nam wyśmienitą kolację.*

After the meeting ....., we went to the Presidential Palace  
where we ..... a delicious dinner.

4. *Jechał z prędkością stu kilometrów na godzinę, gdy został zatrzymany przez policyjny patrol.*

He ..... speed of 100 kph when he .....  
..... by a police patrol.

5. *Szkoda, że nie porozmawialiśmy o tym wcześniej. Gdybym wiedział, że masz kłopoty, na pewno pomógłbym ci.*

I wish ..... earlier. If I .....  
..... in trouble, I would ....., for sure.

6. *Zastanawiam się jak wysoki jest ten budynek. Wydaje się być wyższy niż Empire State.*

I wonder ..... . It seems .....  
..... the Empire State.

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## S Ł O W O T W Ó R S T W O

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**Write in the correct form of the words in brackets.**

1. There's no ..... (DIFFER) in price between these two paintings.
2. The boy says he's got very bitter memories from his ..... (CHILD).
3. Jenny's a very ..... (REASON) young woman. She never acts foolishly.
4. 'What's the ..... (HIGH) of the tower?' 'It's certainly more than fifty metres.'
5. .... (KNOW) of foreign languages is required by many employees.
6. It's been raining since morning and the day is quite ..... (FOG).
7. Brian's father is a ..... (MUSIC). He plays the trombone in a band.
8. Bell-bottoms are not ..... (FASHION) nowadays. People wore them in the sixties and seventies.
9. Their sudden ..... (ARRIVE) in the dead of night surprised us a lot.
10. I was mad because the quality of the goods which I ordered didn't come up to my ..... (EXPECT).
11. Heavy corporal ..... (PUNISH) is still administered in some primitive cultures.
12. Use your imagination and try to be ..... (CREATE).
13. Mr Bones is the most ..... (HELP) person I know. He never refuses to lend a hand when he's asked to.
14. I'm not going to sleep in this bed any more. It's very ..... (COMFORT).
15. Roger is a ..... (CARE) driver. He's caused seven collisions so far.
16. It's a great ..... (PLEASE) to meet school friends after so many years.
17. I cannot understand his ..... (SPEAK). Is he speaking any local dialect?

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## S Ł O W N I C T W O

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**Write in the suitable words to complete the following sentences.**

1. We haven't got enough money to \_ \_ **f** \_ \_ \_ to buy a new house.
2. Picasso's paintings are considered to be \_ \_ **s** \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ **s** of art.
3. Cuckoos are funny birds. They drop their eggs in \_ **e** \_ \_ **s** of other birds.
4. Whenever I travel by train, I try to find a free seat in a non-smoking  
\_ \_ \_ **p** \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ .
5. We knew nothing about your plans. Why didn't you inform us in \_ \_ **v** \_ \_ \_ \_ that  
you were going to Rome?
6. Could you tell us what exactly happened? We're not \_ \_ \_ \_ **l** \_ \_ \_ with the story.
7. King Richard the Third built the \_ \_ **s** \_ \_ \_ and lived in it till he died.
8. We like doing shopping in the \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ **t** \_ \_ \_ \_ store because they have  
everything that we need.
9. Alan's father is a musician. He plays the trumpet in a \_ \_ **n** \_ .
10. Our daughter has been given an \_ **w** \_ \_ \_ in recognition of her great involvement in  
school activities.
11. The last night storm has done a lot of \_ \_ **m** \_ \_ \_ to the houses and trees.
12. Mr Jenkins works as a \_ \_ **d** \_ \_ . He passes sentences in court of justice.
13. You won't get rubber boots here. They are not \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ **b** \_ \_ in our shop.
14. If you want to \_ \_ **h** \_ \_ \_ \_ a success in sport, you must practise a lot.
15. There's not a grain of \_ \_ **u** \_ \_ in what he says. He's a notorious liar.
16. Our car has been out of \_ \_ **d** \_ \_ for three months now. The engine is broken.
17. The Chief Manager is not working this week. He went on \_ **e** \_ \_ \_ last Monday.
18. Our neighbour, Mr Halley, hasn't got a wife. He's still \_ \_ \_ **g** \_ \_ .
19. I have been \_ \_ \_ **b** \_ \_ to move the middle finger ever since I fell off a tree and  
broke it.
20. Recently, some scientists have made a \_ \_ \_ **c** \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ of a new planet in a very  
remote solar system.



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## K O L O K A C J E

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**Choose one correct answer.**

1. I'm sorry to ..... you, but I do need to have a word with you now.  
a) mess    b) prevent    c) bother    d) occupy
2. Let's hurry up. We don't have much time to .....  
a) exhaust    b) spare    c) utilise    d) handle
3. I advise you to ..... advantage of this unusual opportunity.  
a) take    b) use    c) catch    d) reach
4. Sara ..... her best at the exam, but she failed it, anyway.  
a) went    b) did    c) made    d) attempted
5. It's good to ..... close attention to what your teachers say.  
a) keep    b) admit    c) hear    d) pay
6. That tall man ..... me of my grandfather. He's quite like him.  
a) remembers    b) recollects    c) reminds    c) memorises
7. The soldiers were ..... to run with complete field equipment for three hours.  
a) ordered    b) ruled    c) arranged    d) supervised
8. Dinner's ready. The table has already been .....  
a) lain    b) lied    c) laid    d) lay
9. After the accident, John can ..... move his right leg. He uses crutches.  
a) almost    b) hardly    c) no    d) shortly
10. You have missed ten lessons. Somehow, you will have to ..... up for it.  
a) do    b) catch    c) work    d) make
11. Gary Bricks has been arrested because he's been accused of ..... a crime.  
a) participating    b) committing    c) fulfilling    d) acting
12. If I don't ..... to repair the carburettor, you will have to call a specialist.  
a) perform    b) handle    c) achieve    d) manage
13. Some more talks will be needed to ..... an agreement in this difficult case.  
a) receive    b) deal    c) reach    d) arise